

11641 to 11644—Continued.

as well as wheat, barley, and other grains. This bamboo is very resistant to drought. Would it eventually be a plant of any other than ornamental use? Perhaps some of your active and enterprising correspondents in the United States would care to try this plant." (*Proschowsky.*)

11642. JACARANDA OVALIFOLIA.

"The well-known tree of most striking beauty of foliage and flower. The timber is very strong. Resists well in dry places." (*Proschowsky.*)

11643. ALOË DICHOTOMA.

"Forms a picturesque tree of medicinal value." (*Proschowsky.*)

11644. PITTOSPORUM MACROPHYLLUM.

"This is a tree of very regular growth and striking beauty. Its leaves are nearly as large as those of *Magnolia grandiflora* L. But its chief merit consists in its beautiful creamy-white flowers, which exhale a perfume surpassing that of any other plant I know, even the orange and lemon. I should think that the extraction of this perfume would prove a paying undertaking." (*Proschowsky.*)

11645 and 11646. MANGIFERA spp.

From Saigon, Cochin China. Received thru Mr. M. E. Haffner, director of agriculture, August 20, 1904.

Seeds as follows:

11645. MANGIFERA CAMBODIANA.**11646. MANGIFERA MEKONGENSIS.****11647. MUSA sp.****Banana.**

From Monte, Grand Canary. Received thru Mr. Alaricus Delmard, August 22, 1904.

11648. MAMMEA AMERICANA.**Mammee apple.**

From Mayaguez, P. R. Received thru Mr. O. W. Barrett, Agricultural Experiment Station, August 22, 1904.

For use in mangosteen experiments.

11649. LILIUM NEILGHERRENSE.**Neilgherry lily.**

From Utakamand, India. Received thru Mr. G. H. Cave, superintendent of the Government Botanic Gardens, August 19, 1904.

11650. TRITICUM DICOCCUM.**Emmer.**

From Paris, France. Received thru Vilmorin-Andrieux & Co., August 27, 1904.
Amidonier noir.

11651 and 11652. MEDICAGO SATIVA.**Alfalfa.**

From City of Mexico, Mexico. Received thru Mr. Felix Foëx, National School of Agriculture, August 24, 1904.

11651. Alfalfa, from State of Puebla.**11652. Alfalfa, from State of Guanajuato.****11653. CALOPHYLLUM CALABA.**

From Honolulu, Hawaii. Received thru Mr. Gerrit P. Wilder, August 29, 1904.
For experiments in propagating the mangosteen.

11654. LANDOLPHIA sp. (?).

From Africa. Presented thru Mr. G. N. Collins by Mr. Gilbert Christy. Received August 31, 1904.